

1 ABSTRACT

2 In order for passengers of common carriers to enter into secure areas, they are
3 subjected to a personal search to discover the presence of prohibited items. The
4 prohibited items may be confiscated, if other arrangements cannot be made for
5 disposal of them. In order for the possession of these items to remain with the
6 passenger, a kiosk is placed in the immediate vicinity of the security check point. The
7 kiosk may be manned or unmanned and contains the materials and devices necessary
8 to ship the item to a desired location. The kiosk may include a bomb proof depository,
9 a camera, a microphone, and a computer with keyboard. The kiosk also has a cash
10 drawer and electronic card readers to complete the financial transaction.